

REQUEST FORM FOR APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Prior Application:

Art Unit: **1652**
Examiner: **M. Rao**


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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is a Request for filing a **Divisional** application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of pending prior application Serial No. 09/068,960, filed on May 20, 1998, entitled **MALATHION CARBOXYLESTERASE**, by the following named inventors: Robyn Joyce RUSSELL, Richard David NEWCOMB, Peter Malcolm CAMPBELL, Geoffrey Charles de Quetteville ROBIN, Charles CLAUDIANOS, Kerrie-Ann SMYTH, Thomas Mark BOYCE, John Graham OAKESHOTT, Jeremy Colin BROWNLIE.

1. I hereby state that the enclosed application contains no new matter.
2. Oath or Declaration
 - a. Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
 - i Deletion of inventor(s)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
3. Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 2b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 2b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
4. Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
5. An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO1449 Form are submitted herewith.
6. Cancel claims 1-8 and 12.

7. The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 4 and 6 above:

	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	AMOUNT
Total Claims	20	-20	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	6	-3	3	\$80.00 =	\$240.00
Basic Application Fee					\$710.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$0.00					\$0.00
Total Application Fee					\$950.00
Subtract ½ if small entity					\$0.00
TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE					\$950.00
AMOUNT TO BE CHARGED TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 500417					\$950.00

7a. Enclosed is a Verified Statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.

7b. A verified Statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27 was filed in prior application and such status is still proper and desired.

8a. **PLEASE CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 500417 in the amount of \$950.00**

8b. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any extension of time fees to maintain the pendency of the parent application Serial No. 09/068,960 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

9. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
--This application is a Divisional of Application Serial No. 09/068,960 filed May 20, 1998, which is a 371 of International Application Serial No. PCT/AU96/00746.--

10. Priority of Application Serial No. PN 6751, filed on November 23, 1995 in Australia, is claimed under 35 USC 119.

11. The prior application is assigned of record to

Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation
Campbell, Australia

12. The power of attorney in the prior application is to:

McDermott, Will & Emery, formerly Lowe, Price, LeBlanc & Becker

13. Also enclosed:

Sequence Listing
Correspondence Address Change
Request for Approval of Drawing Amendment
Transmittal of Formal Drawings

14. A petition, fee and response has been filed to extend the term in the pending prior application until .

Address all future communications to: (May only be completed by applicant, or attorney or agent of record)

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Respectfully submitted,

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In re Application of

Robyn Joyce RUSSELL, et al.

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Group Art Unit:

Filed: February 06, 2001

Examiner:

For: MALATHION CARBOXYLESTERASE

CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS CHANGECommissioner for Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Please change the records to indicate the current firm name and telephone number for the above-identified application and forward all future correspondence as follows:

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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Sir:

Sixteen (16) sheets of formal drawings are submitted herewith as filed in parent application Serial No. 09/068,960.

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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Approval of the changes made to Figures 1 through 4, as shown in red ink on the attached photocopies, is courteously solicited.

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